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Cast Chosen For Freshman 'Dover Road'

Play by A. A. Milne Chosen By Frosh

"Dover Road," a three-act comedy by A. A. Milne, has been selected by the Freshman class as their play to be given in the near future.

Play tryouts were held at 3:00 o'clock Friday afternoon and from them Mrs. Sanders, the director, chose the following cast: David Michener, Mr. Latimer; Corinne Rickert, Anne; Eugene Rogers, Nicholas; Lenabelle Conklin, Eustasia; Jim Spirrup, Leonard; William Stein, Dominic; Melvin Ashwill and Douglas Cowley, servants; Wanda Needles and Elinita Mardock, maids. Production staff will consist of the following: Alice Gulley, assistant director; Clyde Hadlock, stage manager; Jeanne Follette, property manager; Ed Daniel, house manager; Helen Robertson, advertising manager; Dale Smith, tickets.

May Day Plans Progressing

It has been the custom for the last several years for the Pacific College student body to celebrate May day. At the very beginning the celebration was held on the odd numbers years but since 1920 May day has been celebrated on the even numbertd years.

The May queen is chosen by the boys of the student body from the girls in the junior and senior classes. The Cardinal is chosen by the girls of the student body from the boys of the junior and senior classes. The May queen and the Cardinal choose their own court which usually consists of four princesses and their escorts.

A Generalissimo is elected who has charge of all the committees. There are committee chairmen selected for the following com-

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INTERNATIONAL CLUB PLANS EUGENE CONF.

The Northwest Conference of International Relations Clubs is to be held at Eugene, Ore., February 23-24.

The Carnegie Endowment is sending distinguished speakers who will participate, and round table discussions will form an important part of the program.

A registration fee will be charged. This is to cover room and board for the two days.

All delegates will participate in various parts of the program. Anyone interested may attend.

The Freshman class basketball team accepted the challenge of

Consul and Missionary on Club's Roster as Speakers

COLLEGE BROADCAST PLANNED FOR FEB. 21

Wednesday, Feb. 21, students and faculty members of Pacific College will again be presented over station KOAC at Corvallis.

The program will be based on a French theme.

George Beagles, pianist, will play four Debressey numbers.

Mrs. Beulah Ramsay, French instructor, will speak on the subject, "Victor Hugo."

Veldon Diment will announce the numbers.

State Oratory Contest Slated

The state Old Line Oratorical Contest will be held on the Pacific College campus Thursday, March 7.

Pacific will be host to representatives from Pacific University, Linfield College, Oregon State, Portland University, and Willamette University.

The contest includes both men's and women's divisions. The women's will take place Thursday afternoon while the contest for men will occur that evening.

The winner of the state contest will meet the winners from other states in the national Old Line Oratorical Contest.

COLLEGE LEADERS PLAN WILAMETTE U. CONFLAB

The Oregon Federation of College Leaders is to meet at Willamette University February 23-24.

The first meeting was held last year and proved to be so successful it was decided to become an annual affair.

The object of the meeting is to find how other schools deal with their problems.

Miss Esther Gulley, in Chinese costume, who will speak at the International Relations club meeting on Thursday evening.

(Cut courtesy the Oregonian)

REGISTRATION DROP SHOWN IN RECORDS

Mid-term registration brought back several less students than attended last semested. "Among the missing" are Mary Evelyn Pierce, Maxine Pearson, Virginia Tautfest, Floyd Case, Bill Brown and Dorothy Thompson.

The credit side of the registration sheet showed an increase, however, in the person of Heil Heald, junior, from California. Heald has previously attended P. C. A formal reception is to be held Friday for new students.

Japanese Consul Talk Planned

The International Relations club secured Monroe Sweetland to speak at chapel Thursday on the subject, "Preserving Democracy in America." Mr. Sweetland represents the Oregon Commonwealth Federation.

For next Thursday's meeting the speaker will be Miss Esther Gulley who has just returned from seven years missionary work in China.

One of the big events in the semester's program will be the Japanese consul's presence at a meeting February 22. Everyone is invited to hear these interesting speakers.

A delegation of Eugene Rogers, David Michener and LeRoy Pierson will represent Pacific College at the Northwest International Relations Club conference at the University of Oregon February 23.

Eugene Rogers

Word has been received from the University of Oregon that Eugene Rogers has been selected as chairman of the round table on "The Far East and the Present World War," at the Northwest International Relations Clubs conference. The conference is to be held at Eugene February 23 and 24.

Mr. Sweetland Speaks Thurs.

Monroe Sweetland, executive secretary of the Commonwealth Organization of Oregon, was chapel speaker on Feb. 8. His topic was "Democracy."

"No democracy is secure when a large part of the population is placed at one side; the unemployed," Mr. Sweetland declared.

The speaker maintained that American people fail to realize the importance of participating in activities to aid democracy. The universal attitude is to leave it to the other fellow.

The words on peace of Senator Burton Wheeler of Montana were quoted by Mr. Sweetland: " 'Great armies and great navies can not guarantee peace for the United States, but a contented people can and will.' "

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POST-EXAM JUBILEE HELD THURSDAY

The post-exam jubilee, in the form of a puzzle party, was held in the library Thursday evening, Feb. 1. Ruth Hodson was general chairman.

The students spent their time

GROUP DISCOVERS RELICS

Ancient Oregon history came to life this week with the rediscovery by a group of Pacific college students under guidance of Prof. Perry Macy of the second white settlement in Oregon — a hunting camp established in 1813 two miles below the pulp mill and on the St. Paul side of the river.

Discovery of the camp by Prof. Macy's group was aided by instructions in a journal kept by Alexander Henry, who apparently had been in charge of the hunters. Mr. Macy obtained a copy of the

bend in the Willamette at about the point where it passes Newberg.

The camp was one set up by the Northwest Fur Co. in an effort to vary the diet of its men who complained of the everlasting salmon menu which they received at Astoria, the company's headquarters. Deer and other game were plentiful along the Willamette river in those days although the high grass that covered the spot where Newberg now stands made difficult discovery of the venison.

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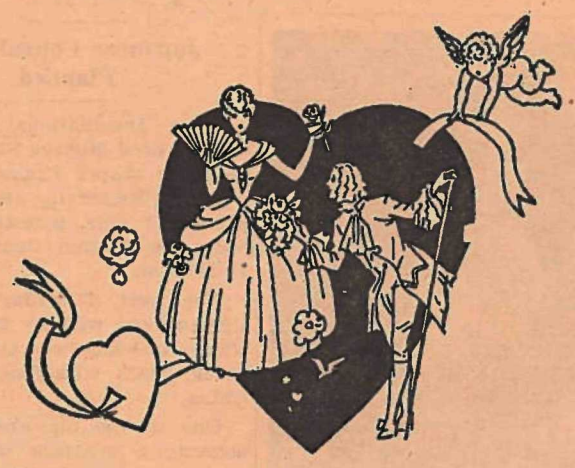

7 SAINT VALENTINES? I DIDN'T KNOW THAT!

Strange as it seems February 14 is celebrated in honor of not less than seven saints by the name of Valentine. There is no record of any act on the part of these saints to connect them with the observation of this lovers' festival . . . or with the sending of Valentines. Most historians and authorities believe the association with the seven saints and Valentine's Day to be accidental.

Freshmen Little Confused Maybe

Confuscious say, "Early hours make very droopy Freshmen next morning." At least from the looks of things we had some droopy Freshmen among us Tuesday morning. Please note: The fact that Bonnie Jeanne had a patch over her eye has nothing to do with this. When 11 Freshmen are eating Chinese noodles it really makes a noise—even the Chinamen came in to watch the process. One of the girls insists that the snail she found in her Chow Mein was of higher type because of his intellectual forehead, but snails or no snails, some of the uninitiated Freshmen had a hard time finishing their first bowl of Chinese noodles.

It seems that the visit to the airport was most enlightening. It was thought for a while that one carload had left as stowaways in a transport plane, but they were later found driving in circles around the driveway. We are glad some Freshmen had the sense to keep the wayward youngsters from walking in the rain. It might not only have damaged their health, but would have dampened the car considerably upon their return.

It seems that it is hard for tried the train depot. Two girls were quite squelched when the night watchman told them their train had left. But, nothing daunted, they entered the depot and after exploring all secret passages and such, decided they would leave for lack of an audience; besides the night watchman was locking up and it might be extremely uncomfortable sleeping on benches all night—especially the hard kind.

After this unsuccessful venture, they decided they would journey homeward as it was getting late and Freshmen did have to stay awake the next day—not follow in the footsteps of upperclassmen and go to sleep in class.

POEM

I wonder why I go to school—
To earn a grade and break a rule?
I always seem to get here late,
And never get to class by eight.

The teachers say, "Now study hard
If you that great reward."
But to a game I'll chance to stray
And always find the time to play.

The moral still remains the same—
If you flunk the course,
Don't lose the game.

Letters To The Editor

In any institution it is necessary to have rules and regulations that must be followed. The regulations of any institution should be specific enough so the individuals belonging to that particular group will be able to interpret them. These rules should have some elasticity, but should not be flexible to such an extent that they can be interpreted differently as each different occasion arises.

Our fdeeral government has a set of rules and regulations which are more commonly called laws. After years of interpretation these laws have become fixed and they are easily interpreted for most ordinary purposes. These rules of our government are written regulations and the people know them and act accordingly.

Each new semester it is necessary for the students to sign their enrollment card. By signing this card the student gives his word of honor that he will live up to the rules of the institution. If there is no set form of rules, and everything concerning these regulations is heresay, how can a person truthfully sign this pledge and live up to the regulations when he is not sure just what these rules are?

The students of our school are required to sign this pledge, and many students desire that a written form enumerating the basic rules of the institution be published for the benefit of the students.

Joe Kycek

'Master Builder' Given Again

The student body play, "The Master Builder," was presented again Friday evening, Feb. 2, at Cascade Locks.

The drama was well received by the Epworth League group from Stevenson, Camas, Washougal, Corbett, Portland and Cascade Locks. Also by the local town people from Cascade Locks.

The cast drove up Friday morning and were served dinner at Cascade Locks, returning the same evening. Those who went were Mr. and Mrs. Sanders, Helen Robertson, Bonnie Jeanne Follette, Alfreda Martin, Ruth Hodson, Mary Lou Hoskins, Ervin Atrops, LeRoy Pierson, David Michener, Harold Hewitt, Douglas Cowley, Melvin Ashwill and Howard Harrison.

REV. CAREY Y.W.C.A. SPEAKER WEDNESDAY

"What are we going to do with our lives?" was the topic of Gervas A. Carey's talk to YWCA Wednesday, February 7.

Corinne Rickert led the opening song, accompanied by Lenabelle Conklin. Esther May Weesner, Marguerite Barney and Elenita Mardock sang "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" for the special number. Josephine Haldy led the prayer and devotion.

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I know my face ain't no star
But I don't mind it
Because I'm behind it
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Pacific College students uncovered a variety of objects when they visited the site of a fur company's hunting camp near Champoeg. Above is Professor Macy, leader of the group, displaying the articles to The Crescent editor.
(Cut courtesy the Oregonian)

RELICS DISCOVERED BY STUDENT GROUP

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tor's company had founded Astoria and was apparently doing very well in the fur business. With declaration of the war it became rather impudent for American companies to do business in the Oregon country—a territory largely under British domination—so Astor sold out to Northwest.

Investigation, together with information obtained from Frank Osborn, a life-long resident of this part of the valley, disclosed that the bend at the pulp mill was the one in question and that the camp had been located on what is now the Virgil Hinshaw farm.

The hunters left a colorful collection of bric-a-brac behind them —broken dishes, clay pipe stems, axe heads, empty whiskey bottles. Some 200 yards from the hunting camp an Indian campground was discovered. According to Henry's journal, Indians were not allowed to encamp any closer than 200 yards to the whites, partly because of the Redskins' tendencies toward homicide and partly because they were inclined to steal everything that was not nailed down.

MAY DAY PLANS PROGRESSING

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mittees: Dinner, costumes, decorations, morning program, evening program, and Queen's bower. The afternoon program includes the parade and the program at the queen's bower. Each class pays homage to the Queen and her court and the program concludes with the winding of the May pole. In the evening there is a dinner for the Queen, the Cardinal, the court and the student body members. At 8 o'clock a play is put on in the auditorium of Wood-Mar hall which concludes the May day festival.

The 1940 May Queen and Cardinal are to be elected after the

Y. W. Hears Stan Kellar

Because of the enthusiasm aroused in the previous meeting, Stanley Kellar continued his discussion of helpful hints about dates, type of girls boys appreciate most, etc., in the YWCA meeting held January 17.

The meeting of the YW January 24 was opened by a song led by Mary Esther Pemberton. Special music was provided by Alfreda Martin accompanied at the piano by Hazel Mary Houser, in "Ivory Palaces." Corinne Rickert was in charge of devotion.

The guest speaker, Mrs. Beulah Ramsay, reviewed Victor Hugo's famous 10-volume novel, "Les Miserables." She had read it in the original French. She said that it was very indicative of the circumstances, trials and problems immediately following the French Revolution and that Hugo's own life in exile for 20 years had prompted the writing of the book. There were many minor or subplots in the novel but the main plot was the life of Jean Vanjean of La Brie.

FRESHMAN STUDENT MARRIED FEBRUARY 1

Seventy-seven students have enrolled at Pacific College for the next semester. Heil Heald, a former student here, is the only new one as yet.

Several students didn't return. Among them was a freshman, Virginia Tautfest, who was married Thursday evening, Feb. 1.

E. D. Beals
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DENTIST

Irene Swanson Is Trefian Pres.

Irene Swanson was elected president of the Trefian Literary Society for the spring term at the regular meeting held Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 7.

Other officers elected were: Fern Nixon, vice president; Helen Robertson, secretary; Elenita Mardock, treasurer; Jeanne Follette, marshall; Mrs. Sanders, critic; Mrs. Ramsey, faculty adviser; Esther May Weesner, social chairman; and Hazel Mary Houser, reporter.

Mrs. Sanders presented the new tea set to the social. Plans were made to celebrate the 25th anniversary of the founding of the Trefian Literary Society at Pacific College.

Boys' Dormitory News

Dear Rats:

Now that the dust of exams and grade cards has settled, I'll write you again.

Since I last wrote we have lost our beloved Ladean Martin and Frederick Riehle. Also Willis Barney has deserted the old shack. In return for these "Rats" we have received Ivan Makinster and Hiel Heald. Ivan is only here for a short visit.

During the vacation Kenny Booth, after seeing Portland, made one of his regular visits to Chemawa. Jim Webb spent most of his time between school and home. Ed Daniel spent his vacation with Clyde Hadlock in Seattle and went to town while he was there. Harold Hewitt and Galen Miller spent their vacations in Portland, but have left for a 10 day trip in California.

I think I will close now and follow the crowds over to the girls' dorm and try the new davenport.

Your
Brother Rat.

"I've raised a lot of families," says the elevator boy.

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WOODS

Grade School Tourney Plans Under Way

Cup Donated by Alumni

The annual Invitational Grade School Tournament, which is sponsored by the Gold "P" club of Pacific College, will be held on Feb. 29 and Mar. 1 and 2, according to Ladean Martin, president of the club. This year the club predicts a full schedule of 24 entries.

Two college alumni, Lyle Barkman and Arney Houser, have purchased a new championship trophy which will be awarded by the club this year. The championship cup used previously was won permanently by St. Marys because this school won the championship three years.

The committee chairmen have been chosen by Ladean Martin. These committees include: Referees committee, Keller, Kycek and Smith; scorekeeper and timekeeper committee, George Thomas; cleanup committee, Jean Chase; candy committee, Ervin Atrops.

FROM THE SIDELINES

Since the last edition of our paper our hoopsters have shaken the dust from the victory bell and hope to keep the cobwebs from gathering on it. They have chalked up two consecutive wins over St. Paul town team and Chemawa.

Stan has shifted a few positions and seems to have found the right combination. Arnold Booth is doing very well in his guard position and Chuck is still high point man. It is quite evident from their wins that the team ahs made many strides toward improvement. Instead of five teams on the floor as we saw at the first of the season, we now see a cooperative team who are beginning to click.

The freshman team, after defeating the challenging seniors, were challenged by the sophomore and junior classes. The froshies emerged victorious and undefeated. Talk has been going about to the effect that the frosh should be challenged by all three classes. It would be a real basketball game regardless of who won.

MONROE SWEETLAND SPEAKS AT CHAPEL

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This is the answer to our going into war or not, the speaker said. If our people cannot be contented there will be an effort to seek an enemy either outside or in this country.

Our only protection is to do our political job so well that we won't want war, he said.

Mr. Sweetland advised that each person understand politics, take his stand and participate.

POME—

The moon was white
The road was dark;
A perfect place
To stop and park.
I gave a sigh,
I gave a moan,
I cursed the fate—
I was alone.

MR. JONES TAKES LEAVE OF ABSENCE

No! he has not left us for good! Mr. Jones, superintendent of buildings and grounds of Pacific College, after securing a leave of absence, has accepted, for a while, a position with a bridge construction crew working on the Wolf Creek highway.

Ivan Makinster, former graduate of Pacific College, is temporarily taking charge until B. H. Jones, a brother of Harlan Jones, arrives from Nebraska to take charge during our present superintendent's absence.

Pacific Wins Two, Loses Three

The basketball team has played five games since our last issue of the Crescent. They won two and lost three.

The scores:

1. Pacific 29, Chemawa 48
2. Pacific 26, St. Paul 27
3. Pacific 54, St. Paul 38
4. Pacific 30, Chemawa 27
5. Pacific 28, Tailers 32

High scoring honors for the games are divided among Arnold Booth, Buck Davis and Chuck Smith, who was high scorer in three of the games. The fellows are playing better ball than before, but still are open for improvement. They play very well in the first half and then seem to blow up in the last period. The boys seem to be classier than their opponents and superior to them, but just can't seem to take advantage of it. All players are doing very well. Dean Tate has certainly shown improvement and really has the old fighting spirit.

Stan Kellar has received an invitation to the annual Hill Military Relay Carnival to be held in April. Bill Thomas, Heil Heald and Ed Daniel are willing to participate and will begin training as soon as the weather permits. Anyone who is interested in running will certainly have the opportunity to show what he can do. How about a few volunteers? If you don't know how to run, come out and learn how.

Here a little ettakett my mom taught me when I was a little shaver—At basketball games always stand up in front of the person in back of you. They enjoy looking at your back more than they do the game! When a basket is made by your team, smash the hat of the person in front of you. It gives them a more nonchalant appearance! Always boo players who make a mistake. It gives them more courage to win the game! Well, that's the way I was brought up, but I hear times have changed, so just do the opposite from these, and you'll be perfect at basketball games!

STUDENTS
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CAMEO

L'Ami Plans Well Under Way

Helen Robertson reports that the "dummy" of the "L'Ami" has been completed after many hours of work and worry.

I am sure the students will appreciate the modernistic element put into this year's "L'Ami."

Another process than the duotone is being used in the annual.

The various ways that classes and organizations are presented on their respective pages are certainly varied and unique.

The "L'Ami's" theme is that of "Candid Camera Themes," thus requiring many candid shots, so, photographers, get "shooting."

Financially, the business manager of the "L'Ami," Harold Hewitt, has obtained eight and one-half pages of advertisements. The lithographing is being done by Bushong and Co. and pictures by Riley Studio.

WEEK'S SAD, SAD STORY—

I was penniless and hungry. I sauntered casually up to a prosperous looking Italian, to put the touch on him for a nickel or dime.

"You look prosperous, my friend," I observed, with original "touch" technique.

"Yes," he answered nonchalantly.

"Then you must have a good steady job," I deducted sagaciously.

"Yes—good and steady. I'm a broker."

"Ah! a broker!" I exclaimed, visualizing a 10-spot being placed in my hand.

"Yes, I'm broker dan you are, mine fran'!"

Things I would like to see:

A kitchen sink. Twilight fall. A match box. A worm turn. The depths of despair. A youngster knee-high to a grasshopper. The apples of my eye. A person burning up with anger. The ragged edge of uncertainty. The fellow who puts his foot in his mouth every time he opens it!

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